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**DeNUCCI JOINS BOSTON CELTICS
IN HONORING “HEROES AMONG US”**

State Auditor Joe DeNucci joined the NBA champion Boston Celtics in the 10th annual “Heroes Among Us” award ceremony today at the State House. The Celtics’ “Heroes Among Us” program honors individuals who have made an overwhelming impact on the lives of others.

Auditor DeNucci served as co-host of the ceremony along with State Treasurer Timothy Cahill. Special guests included Robert Epstein, Managing Partner of the Boston Celtics; Celtics legend JoJo White; and Celtics forward Glen “Big Baby” Davis, representing the players. WCVB-TV anchor Liz Brunner delivered the keynote address, and the master of ceremonies was Greg Dickerson of Comcast SportsNet New England.

Auditor DeNucci, who has participated in the “Heroes” program since its inception, praised the recipients “for your compassion and courage, for your sacrifice and determination, and for making our community a better place.”

DeNucci concluded, “I want to acknowledge and congratulate the Boston Celtics on winning their 17th NBA championship, and for creating and promoting this unique and meaningful program.”

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